

CLAIMS

1. A molding machine, comprising:
a stationary platen carrying a stationary mold;
5 a movable platen arranged movably relative to said stationary platen and carrying a movable mold;
a first base frame supporting a first mass including said stationary platen; and
a second base frame supporting a second
10 mass different from said first mass, said second mass including said movable platen.
2. A molding machine, as set forth in claim 1, wherein said first base frame and said second base frame are independently shiftable relative to each other.
- 15 3. A molding machine, as set forth in claim 1, wherein at least one of said first base frame and said second base frame is provided with a level adjusting mechanism for adjusting a relative height and a parallelism between said stationary platen and said
20 movable platen.
4. A molding machine, as set forth in claim 1, further comprising a rear platen disposed, at a location opposite to said stationary platen, about said movable platen, and a tie bar tying said stationary platen and
25 said rear platen with each other and defining a longitudinal axis extending in a direction of movement of said movable platen; wherein said first mass includes said rear platen and said tie bar.
5. A molding machine, as set forth in claim 1,
30 further comprising a platen support movably supporting said movable platen on said second base frame; wherein said second mass includes said platen support.
6. A molding machine, as set forth in claim 1,
35 further comprising a drive section for applying a drive force to said movable platen so as to move said movable platen relative to said stationary platen; wherein said first mass includes said drive section.

7. A molding machine, as set forth in claim 1, wherein said first base frame and said second base frame are locally connected to each other.